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Elmer E. Roper C.C.F. Candidate In Edmonton By-Election

Mr. Roper Is Well Known

At a nominating convention held last week, the Edmonton local of the C.C.F. nominated Elmer E. Roper, Editor of The People's Weekly, to contest the forthcoming Edmonton by-election.

The candidate has been associated with the C.C.F. from the beginning and was for fifteen years before that a member of the Labor party, holding the offices of President of both the Edmonton and Alberta branches of the party. He has been a member of the International Printing Pressmen's and Assistant's Union since 1911. Although now engaged in the management of a large plant Mr. Roper retains his union membership and last September represented the union at the convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

Prominent also in the business life of Edmonton the candidate takes an active part in various community activities. He is President of the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society and a vice-president of the Alberta division. He was for four years a member of the Edmonton School Board, tenyears a member of the library Board and six years a member of the board of Governors of the University.

Thanking the delegates after his nomination, Mr. Roper said he regarded the work of the legislature and government of the Canadian provinces to be of great importance, especially in the period following the war. "We hear a great deal," he said, "about the new order which is to follow the war. But there is only one way in which economic security for the people of Canada can be attained. That is by the wise and scientific application of labor and abilities to the natural resources of the country. This makes the work of a provincial legislature highly important, because the natural resources are under control of the provincial government," he added.

The candidate said that he would consider it his chief duty to present the C.C.F. program for social security to the electorate without paying much

attention to the record or contentions of other parties. He believed that since there were two government members and two opposition members now representing Edmonton in the legislature, the people of Edmonton would want to elect a C.C.F. member. They are not satisfied with what they have now," he said, "and the only way they can avoid more of the same thing is to elect the C.C.F. member."

The Death of Frank Cowell

Following a lengthy illness the death of Frank Cowell, aged 29, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowell, Cheadle occurred at the home of his parents Wednesday afternoon.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his wife, Jean, and two young daughters, Carol Ann and Clara Dale, all of Cheadle.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cowell are pioneer residents of Cheadle and the very sincere sympathy of a host of friends will be extended to them and the young widow in their bereavement.

Funeral arrangements are being made by Shaver and McGinnis.

RAINFALL FIGURES

Crops and pastures are at their best as a result of the abundant rainfall while other years have given as much moisture, this year the rain has come just when needed.

Rainfall figures from January to date, July 22: 12.15 inches.

April—0.52
May—1.46
June—5.68
July to date—3.46
TOTAL—11.08

VERY SUCCESSFUL RED CROSS GARDEN PARTY

The annual Garden Party arranged by the Red Cross committee and held in the attractive lawn of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick's home has become an interesting event that attracts large crowds each year.

The setting was ideal brightened by the flags of the Allies with the various booths with their tempting wares nestling in the shade of the trees.

The booths with their committees included:

Bridge—Mrs. T. E. Wright Mrs. Young

Home Cooking—Mrs. Nicholl, Mrs. H. Willson, Mrs. Hirtle.

Superfluity—Mrs. McMurray, Mrs. Downie, Mrs. P. Wright.

The "Dolls"—(Hitler), Mussolini, Hirohito) G. H. Patrick and J.A. Tench

The darts—T. S. Hughes, H. A. Willson

Clock Golf—D. MacMurray.

Shooting—Constable Rawsthorne.

Bingo—Mrs. T. S. Hughes, Mrs. John Freeman, Geo. Palardy, Gene Giroux.

Red Cross Sewing—Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Patrick, and Miss V. Hyde.

Tea Room—Mrs. Marcum and Mrs. McParland assisted by a number of young Matrons and Misses who dispensed appetizing sandwiches, tea and coffee.

The Bingo Booth as usual attracted an eager throng of seekers for the prizes, many of which were especially attractive.

Mr. Patrick was Convenor in Chief and was ably assisted by a large number of helpers who worked zealously to have everything in ship shape.

Unfortunately about 4:30 ominous clouds from the west rolled up, bringing one of our typical dust storms, followed by rain, which created obstacles to mar the otherwise smooth conduct of a successful Garden Party.

Luckily about 7:30 the sun shone again and a lovely evening followed

and all attractions were carried through resulting in a very successful event both socially and financially. Winners of prizes in the Bridge games were Mrs. Heckle, Jr., and Miss Nancy Fawkes, Namaka.

GOLF NOTES

A Tombstone competition will be held on Sunday at 2 p.m.

The course is in excellent condition due to the hard work of the Grounds Committee and several members, and it is hoped a large turnout will be on hand Sunday to enjoy the course at its best.

COLD STORAGE PLANT MAY RE-OPEN

Plans are under consideration by a number of business men by which they hope to make arrangements to open the Cold Storage Plant in the near future. This is a progressive step on the part of these men, and we wish them success. The Plant properly managed is a real asset to Strathmore.

ROCKYFORD

By K. M. G.

The people of the community were treated to an enjoyable evening on Wednesday, July 15, when the Ladies of the United Church sponsored an ice cream social. The soft ball team of the Valley Garden came in and an enjoyable game was had with the young people's team. The strawberry season being in the ladies served strawberry sundaes and cake with coffee. All report a good time.

Miss Florence Durratt, R. N., who is now nursing in the Drumheller hospital was home for two days last week.

Corp. Murine Kistatine who is an instructor at the Women's Divisional Camp at Mossbank, Sask., spent part of her leave with Mrs. Bushman and renewed acquaintances in and around Rockyford.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Wm. Rudd is far from well in Calgary. The doctor has ordered her to bed for some time yet.

Mac Rudd left on July 15 for Edmonton where he takes up his training with the R.C.A.P.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allen have been away at Brooks for a holiday with some friends. Dad was going fishing at Lake Newall and we are waiting for some good fish stories.

Mr. Bert Horton and Mrs. Bushman have had their cousin from Athabasca and a cousin's wife from Regina staying with them for a few days.

A quiet wedding took place in Calgary on July 11 when Miss Helen Bensted, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bensted became the bride of Mr. Owen Wise, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Wise, all of Rockyford. Rev. John Garden, former minister of the United Church at Rockyford, now Principal of Mount Royal College performed the ceremony. After a short honeymoon the happy couple will make their home in the Rockyford District.

Mr. and Mrs. Easton and Dona returned on Monday evening from a week's vacation at Banff.

THE 'OUT-SIDE'

● ONLY ONE SPIDER IS POISONOUS

There are many different species of spiders found in the gardens or in the field and around buildings, says Alan Dominion Department of Agriculture. They vary greatly in color, size, and appearance, but there is only one poisonous spider in Canada, the black widow found in Alberta. The black widow is a shiny, coalblack spider with a red or orange "hour-glass" marking on the under side. Occasionally tarantula or banana spiders, and probably a few others are imported in shipments from tropical or semi-tropical regions but they do not survive in the Canadian climate.

● FROM THE ASHES OF LIDICE— (Time Magazine)

The Czech village of Lezvasky, 70 miles southeast of Prague, joined martyred Lidice last week. German soldiers sorted out the children among its 129 inhabitants, murdered all the men and women, burned the village to its foundations.

Apparently unaware was Nazidom that far from blotting out such names as Lidice and Lezvasky, it had conferred on them immortality. Freedom loving people in far-off Stern Park Gardens, Ill., last week changed the name of their town to Lidice and they might share its glory and perpetuate its memory.

The citizens of Bohemia, L. I., moving to follow suit, spoke for free men everywhere when they said— "The Nazi hangman has lynched a whole town. Lidice of physical form has perished, but its soul lives on, an inspiration to the world fighting the dark age of repression, slavery and murder."

● LAMB'S REPARTEE—

Charles Lamb, though reared in poverty and living a tragic life, always displayed a very keen sense of humor. One morning when he arrived late at the East India House where he clerked for the greater part of his life one of his superiors said—

"I notice, Mr. Lamb, that you come very late this morning."

"Yes, but just see how early I go," was the answer.

"Fray, Mr. Lamb," continued the superior, "what are you about?"

"Forty next birthday," Lamb replied.

● A special appeal to high school boys, who will shortly complete the 12 weeks on the farm needed to obtain their year's standing was issued at Toronto by Alex MacLaren, director of the Ontario farm service force. "Were they to leave now it would seriously impede harvesting operations," Mr. MacLaren said. "The farmers are going to need every bit of help they can get for the next six weeks."

● APPROVE MINISTER'S STAND—

Approval of action by Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, opposing the prohibition of the export of Canadian cattle to the United States, was expressed by the U.F.A. Executive at a meeting last week, and the Minister was so advised. The Executive endorsed a resolution on this subject adopted at a recent meeting at Wainwright.

● Farm Women's Week at Olds, July 27—30.

WEDDING

FRASER—BAYNE

Nuptial mass followed the 10 a.m. wedding ceremony on July 8 of Alma Dorothea, younger daughter of Mrs. Bayne and the late W. P. Bayne, to Sapper Hugh Thomas Fraser, R.C.E., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fraser. The marriage took place in St. Augustine's Catholic Church, Rev. Father A. Lynch, O.M.I., officiating.

Given in Marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. Jack Rutherford, the bride wore a street length poudre blue frock, blue lace outlining the hip yoke and marking the front panel. Her matching hair featured a veil and her corsage was of Pink roses.

Miss Florence Bayne was bridesmaid for her sister, while Mr. Leo Le Gallais was best man.

After a wedding breakfast at Stanley Park Pavilion, the bride and groom left for Vancouver Island.

Tom has many friends in Strathmore who will be pleased to hear of his marriage and will wish himself and bride a very happy and prosperous future.



IRENE PRICHARD



IVY FOLLEY

Change Names for Identity's Sake

As alike as the brass buttons on their uniforms, these two Strathmore girls are one of the few "sister acts" in the Canadian Women's Army Corps in the Calgary district... and they are not twins and have not the same last name.

They are Irene Prichard and Ivy Folley, daughters of Mrs. W. H. Folley and the late C. Prichard, of Strathmore and are posted as waitresses in the officers' mess at Currie Barracks.

So alike that confusion often arose over mistaken identities, the girls decided something had to be done, so Ivy took the name of her stepfather. The girls are known as "The Twins" to others in the C.W.A.C.

Irene, 23, was born in Calgary and is a 19-year-old Ivy in Gleichen. The sisters enlisted together in January, trained together, were posted to Currie together and now hope to get sent overseas together.

Both Mr. Prichard and Mr. Folley served overseas in the last war with the 10th Canadians.

—Courtesy The Calgary Albertan

INFORMATION RE: POSTPONEMENT OF WAR TRAINING

When a recruit receives his notice to take a medical examination to ascertain whether he is medically fit for military training, he must go before a doctor within 3 days for his examination as the notice informs him. It would be wise for him to ask the doctor whether he has been placed in Category "A" for no one is being called for service at present who is not placed in Category "A". If he is placed in Category "A" and desires postponement of his training he must apply in writing to the Registrar of the War Services Board at Edmonton within 8 days of the date, not the receipt of the notice, stating the reasons for his application within the specified time he can and must send in his application not later than the day he takes his medical examination. He need not and should not apply in person at the registrar's office. His failure to make his application as and within the time specified will probably result in his failure to secure a postponement, however deserving he may be of such postponement, for the Board is forbidden to grant a postponement within four-

teen days of the date at which he is subsequently notified to report at the military training centre. The provisions apply to everyone including farmers who are entitled to postponements for they are so entitled only if they apply as stated.

The delay in the notice reaching the recruit is in nearly all cases due to his failure to comply with the regulations requiring him to notify the Registrar of any change of address, the result being that the notice may travel from Post Office to Post Office before it reaches him. Under the Regulations not merely must he notify the Dominion Statistician, which most of them do by going to the Post Office and signing a postal card which is furnished them, but he must also notify the Registrar of the Division and his failure to do so may result in his being deprived of the right to receive a postponement and in addition will render him liable to a penalty under the Regulations.

In all cases in which a farmer applies for a postponement he should not only send in his written application

but he should fill in all the answers to the questionnaire sent him and have the facts certified by someone in authority who has personal knowledge of them, and forward it with his written application. The Board is required to send a specified number of recruits to the training centre and on the specified days and after the list is made up and the notices sent out it is too late to make changes, and it is useless to make applications then for the board is forbidden to grant them.

HORACE HARVEY,
Chief Justice,
Chairman, National War Services Bd.,
Administrative Division "N".

THE WEEK IN EDMONTON

Take Appeal to Privy Council

Of interest to farmer debtors throughout the West is the announcement by the Alberta Attorney-General's department that Manitoba and Saskatchewan will join Alberta in carrying the Debt Adjustment act judgment appeal to the Privy Council in London. Alberta's Debt Adjustment Act was, after years of operation, declared ultra vires. Just prior to the farm debt conference in Saskatoon the Saskatchewan Debt Adjustment Act was declared ultra vires, Manitoba, having a similar statute, fears a similar judgment, and is joining in the joint appeal to the highest tribunal in the Commonwealth.

By-Election in Edmonton Creating Interest

Indications are that an election contest will be staged in Edmonton to fill the vacant legislative seat caused by the death of D. M. Duggan, independent member and former Conservative leader. C.C.F. supporters have already nominated a candidate, and the Independents have stated they will do likewise. A meeting of the Government supporters has also gone on record as favoring an entry, in the event of there being no acclamation to an Independent.

Alberta Made Goods Occupy 66 Booths At Exhibition

Sixty-six booths are attracting attention at Edmonton Exhibition. Housed in a marquee 105 by 70 feet and accommodating 500 persons, the exhibit included 66 booths holding Alberta manufactured goods. Various provincial activities are also publicized, such as health work, crop and soil operations.

Co-ops Increasing

Steady increase in the co-operative movement of Alberta is indicated in a recent report of the Co-operative Activities Branch, which records the incorporation of three more associations. The new ventures are the Watersheds (Boyle) live stock shipping co-operative; Grande Prairie Consumers Co-operative and Hairy Hill live stock shipping co-operative. There are now more than 190 associations of various nature active in the province.

Shortage of Coal Miners

Acute shortage of miners in Alberta will be given study next week by Hon. H. E. Tanner and departmental officials, it is stated here. It is reported that the man-power shortage is most acute in the domestic mines, and that this will undoubtedly affect consumer supplies.

"Mr. Henpeck, what do you think of a man who marries for money?"
"I think he earns every cent he gets."

—TRAIN SCHEDULE—

Strathmore—
Going West, No. 1 8:57 p.m.
Going East No. 2 8:03 a.m.
Carleton Place—
Going East, No. 4 9:08 p.m.
Going West, No. 3 6:52 a.m.

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stone	4 French	21 Tricks
5 A king	river	22 Insects
1 Norse	5 Oil of rose	24 Son of Eric
myth 1	petals	the Red
9 Depend on	6 Demonstra-	25 Quick
10 Gaunt	tive pronoun	28 Heavien
11 Bangs	7 Fruit from	images
12 Large	cloth	29 Disturb
easterns	8 An intima-	31 Highest
14 Seize	tion	32 Stele of an
15 To confuse	11 Passive	arrow
16 Ahead	13 Dispatches	34 Speak
17 Vehicle	15 Uncooked	37 Guides
18 At home	17 Frostbait-	40 Mountain
19 A fish	er's mark	lake
20 Cry of a		
crow		
21 Magician's		
rod		
23 A hue		
25 Circlets of		
metal		
26 Before		
27 High (mus)		
28 Simplicity		
30 Obnoxious		
insects		
33 Skillful		
34 Diminutive		
of Cecelia		
35 Exclamation		
36 Conjunction		
37 Boulder		
38 Music note		
39 Recently		
42 Stolen goods		
44 Reptile		
45 Metal bolt		
46 Thrived		
47 Frozen		
desserts		
48 Finishes		
49 Gasp		

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2 Apex

Friday and Saturday, JULY 24 and 25

"The Lady Has Plans"

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— DRUG STORE —

**SEEDTIME
and
HARVEST**By
Dr. K. W. Naethy
Director, Agricultural Department
North-West Line Elevators Association**RAIN**

It is a wonderful thing to see the prairie provinces green from the foothills to Winnipeg. Of course, we shall have troubles, but they will be easier to bear than the which result from widespread drought.

If we get fair rains this month and if frost does not extensive damage, a large wheat crop is assured. Harvest labour and storage space will be problems we shall have to meet somehow.

We rarely offer advice to farmers, but will risk doing so now. Drought will come again just as surely as the sun will rise tomorrow morning. What a year this is to set aside some feed reserves—wild hay, tame hay and feed grains. True, there will be mighty little granary space available for feed grains; but what about stacking? Surely every farmer producing livestock should have a good row of sheaf oats and barley stacks this fall.

Stacking is almost a lost art, but it should be recovered. Only through skill and experience can a uniform row of attractive, symmetrical stacks be built. However, to preserve the sheaves, the most important consideration is keeping the stack high in the middle while building. If, after settling, the sheaves become horizontal or slightly down at the head ends, rain will work in and the grain may be ruined. So, while building, the middle must be kept high and then, after settling, all sheaves will slope slightly down towards the butts and the grain should remain in good shape for years.

Don't stack wet or damp sheaves.

A small boy at the zoo asked why the giraffe had such a long neck.

"Well, you see," said the keeper, gravely, "the giraffe's head is so far from his body a long neck is absolutely necessary."

The explosive pressure in a modern rifle is more than 19 tons per square inch.

CHEADLE

by L. McL.

Belated news but still interesting! Mrs. M. Drake entertained at a small shower in honor of Mrs. P. Welshimer the former Miss Hilda Fletcher. There were fifteen guests. The gifts were lovely and Mrs. Welshimer thanked the ladies very much and invited them to come and see her and her husband in their new home.

A house warming was held recently in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. Welshimer who have been recently married. Our thanks to Mr. Earl Lowry for a very amusing evening. Our good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Welshimer. We hope you

Fine Imposed on Hoarder

When 232 cans of soup, and 354 cans of fruits and vegetables were found in his basement, Abraham C. DeFehr of Winnipeg paid \$150.00 and costs for hoarding in charges laid by the War-time Prices and Trade Board.

No More Frills on Kitchen Brooms

Even the faithful kitchen broom plays a part in the war program. It will be plain Jane in the domestic picture when all such frills as velvet bands, excessive cloth or wire spirals, coloured string sewing, and coloured or striped handles are taken away.

Answers to Sugar Problems

Q.—Is any allowance of sugar made for the making of pickles or bottled fruit juices?

A.—No sugar is allowed for pickles. In the case of fruit juices the same allowance is made as for canning and preserving, 1-2 pound of sugar for

every pound weight of fruit.

Q.—Can beekeepers obtain sugar? A.—Yes. Any person keeping honey bees may apply for registration as an industrial user of sugar. Applications stating the name and address of beekeeper, the number of colonies of bees kept, and the amount of sugar required up to the end of September, should be made to the provincial Apiarist. In the province of Alberta, Mr. W. G. le Maistre, Terrace Buildings, Edmonton.

Q.—Can extra sugar be gotten for social functions? A.—No. Hostesses and organizers for social and charity functions, must provide sugar from their own rations or request their guests to bring their own, unless such functions are sponsored by the Red Cross and provided with sugar supplied by the Red Cross.

Q.—Can sugar be obtained for canteens serving the armed forces? A.—Yes. Restrictions as to the purchase of sugar do not apply to purchases by the Red Cross Society or for any canteen or mess situated within the limits of naval, military or air force camps, barracks or similar establishments.

Q.—What happens if a consumer loses his or her ration card? A.—Another card can be obtained on application to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office. But



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This price applies at any designated point in the Prairie Provinces.

Your contribution to the war effort and to war charities is simplified by this arrangement and it will be more effective inasmuch as you now take your scrap metal to the Elevator designated in your district and obtain a receipt for it from the Agent.

Should you desire to donate your scrap to the war effort, then such receipt voucher can be endorsed by you, payable to the Voluntary Salvage Committee in your community. The Voluntary Salvage Committee will use such money for war charitable purposes.

Your contribution of scrap iron and steel is urgently needed NOW. Dig out every available ounce of scrap on your farm and take it to the Elevator Agent nearest you without delay. Canadian war industry needs it badly.

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securing it may cause inconvenience and take time. Be sure to keep a record of your ration card number.

Farmers' Wives to Sign Sugar**Vouchers for Harvest Crops**

For the farmer's wife who is wondering how to supply sugar for table use when gangs of hungry threshers or harvesters come to her home, it is arranged that she may purchase the needed supply by voucher. That means she, or someone authorized by her, will go to the regular retail store and sign a purchase voucher provided there for the sugar. On the voucher will be marked the number of men at her farm, and the length of time they will be there. The retailer will follow the usual procedure of accepting the voucher, and supplying the sugar she is entitled to, on the ration basis.

Price Scale on Dairy Products and Meats is Set

Providing an incentive for winter production of butter solids the wholesale price of butter solids has been set at 33 1-4 cents until October. Prints and rolls and unsalted creamery butter will be one cent higher, that is, 34 1-4 cents wholesale.

For beef, a sliding scale on best grade carcasses wholesale has been fixed from 18 1-3 cents, on June 27, to 15 cents on November 20. A sliding scale has also been fixed for the price of the 8 cuts of beef, wholesale, moving down from the present time until November.

Pork is also sold at basic period prices. Frozen lamb is now at the peak, 2 1-4 cents over the basic period. But 1942 fresh lamb is exempt until August 15, when prices will come under the ceiling.

Provide Against Coal Shortage

"Consumers have been urgently requested to put in their coal supply now as there is a great shortage of labour and equipment," states Mr. Campbell, "a consumer can go to his regular coal dealer who will recommend him to the bank, and the bank in turn will discount the consumer's note if the credit is satisfactory. The amount financed will not be less than \$50.00 or more than \$250.00, which will be repaid by monthly payments before May 15, 1943, at the rate of 6.20 per cent per annum, the coal to be delivered by August 31, 1942. This will permit continuous work in the mines and orderly marketing. Application forms can be secured at the dealer's office."

HERVEY

— By M. W. L. —

Mrs. Frank Pow of Edmonton visited a few days lately with her sister Mrs. L. Campbell and later they spent a week at Sylvan Lake together. They report having enjoyed themselves very much.

The Ladies Sewing Club will meet the last Wednesday of the month at the home of Mrs. Harry McKenzie.

Miss Nelda Hepp of Throne, Alta, spent last week end with her sister Violet in Hervey.

Victor Stockdale, who has been training as Signaller in Kingston, Ontario was visiting his cousins here while on sick leave following an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. Homer Nelson's friends are very pleased to know she is so much improved in health after her serious illness of a few weeks ago.

Norman Layercraft leaves next week for Ottawa where he has secured a job with the Civil Service as Analytical Chemist.

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THE WHEAT FIELDS

A TRIP through the country these days recalls to mind Bryant's descriptive poem in the lines:

"Boundless and beautiful—
 With the abundance of moisture the grain crops are well advanced, well filled heads of grain and tall stalks that will yield an abundance of straw.
 The country never looked more beautiful than it does this year.
 There is yet danger of hail, but it is most devoutly hoped that this cruel devastating element will not shed its force of destruction, until the sheaves are gathered.

The manpower to harvest this abundant crop is a problem which is taxing the thought of farmer and politician alike.
 Hon. J. A. MacKinnon states Western Canada's wheat crop is now estimated at 400,000,000 bushels. Between the cutting and the storing in the elevator lies a gigantic amount of work. However the problem will be faced and overcome with typical Canadian initiative.

The local elevators are now shipping last year's wheat making room for the incoming grain.

VICTORY LOAN MEETING

A GATHERING of about 700 attended a Luncheon in the Palliser Monday at which the chief speaker was G. W. Spinney, national chairman, formerly General Manager of the Bank of Montreal in Canada.

Mr. Spinney based his remarks largely on the need and methods for financing the War.

He stated Alberta's quota will be \$55,000,000 per year. This will include War Savings and the amount raised by the Victory Loans whereas in the two previous Victory Loans in the Province the total was \$45,000,000.

The War Savings Certificates must be raised from \$4 million per year to \$12 million per year. That further sacrifices in various ways will have to be made is obvious. It is also obvious that we must win the war —

Hitler's policy of government is the negation of all we hold dear.

Following the luncheon the Committee men, chairman and unit organizers met in committee and discussed plans for further campaigns.

Messrs E. N. Ridley and T. S. Hughes were the Strathmore representatives present.

NAMAKA

By M. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Smitten, Pioneer residents of Namaka district celebrated their Golden Wedding on July 21. Fifty years ago, Agnes Armer Dougal, became the bride of Peter Smitten. They were married in Baldernock, Scotland. In 1907, Mr. Smitten came to Canada settling on their farm 2 1/2 miles north of Namaka, a year and nine months later Mrs. Smitten and their three children, Agnes, now Mrs. Foss of Standard, Margaret, now Mrs. William Fawkes, and William who died of 'flu' in 1918. In 1926, Wm. Fawkes purchased the Taylor home in Namaka and Mr. and Mrs. Smitten have made their home with them. This is where they celebrated their fiftieth anniversary. All the families joined in a dinner party very much regretting the absence of Louis Foss and Jackie Fawkes who were unable to be present, both boys being in His Majesty's Forces. In the evening a goodly number of their friends dropped in to congratulate them and wish them many more years of happiness. All had a piece of the wedding cake and other good things provided. Mrs. Smitten was presented with a lovely purse and Mr. Smitten with a fine set of pipes, gifts of the community. Also other gifts of money, cards, and good wishes from those not present. A very happy evening was enjoyed by all, every one expressing their best wishes to the honor guests for many more anniversaries.

Roland Hanson is home from Mossburn, Sask., on a two weeks furlough. Mrs. James Bremner of Calgary and little Bobby are spending the week with Mrs. W. H. Baker.

IS STILL USEFUL

An old steam engine may help the Liverpool Fire Department beat gasoline rationing. The fifty year old veteran has been overhauled and is ready for service. In a demonstration, the engine threw four powerful streams of water nine minutes after a fire was started under the boilers.

NONE FOR PETS

Pets, whether kittens or horses, can not have sugar ration cards, wartime prices and trade board officials said. These officials told pet owners if they wanted to continue feeding their animals sugar it must come from their own allowance.

Antiquarian—This vase is 2,000 year old. Be very careful in carrying it.

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We are very pleased to see Mrs. Hanson home and she says she is feeling fine after her recent operation for goitre.

Saskatoon is plentiful this year and everyone who has the chance has been berry picking.

OTTAWA SPOTLIGHT

By M. McDUGALL

(Weekly Review of National Affairs)

Adjournment Nearing—

Ottawa.—Parliament which is swinging round the curve towards adjournment at the end of the week has still heavy ground before it. Estimates of departments as well as final stages of the budget and the now renowned bill 80 on manpower mobilization have still to be passed at the time of writing. With morning sittings however parliament working under full draft will get through a great deal of work. The session has already run a full six months and adjournment will be welcomed. There is little light heartedness discernable in the proceedings of parliament these days. It would of course be strange if it were otherwise. With the anxieties of the war hanging like a cloud above the members no one is inclined to labor any inconsequential point in debate. It needs no particular strength of imagination to hear in the house of commons at Ottawa the echo of the distant rattle and thunder of the guns along the Don river and in the Egyptian desert. Certainly these sounds with all that they imply are in the ears of the members and are potent forces in debate eliminating trivialities and holding members to the main issues of the hour.

The Hong Kong Report—

Before parliament adjourns a discussion will be held on the Hong Kong report. Censorship prevents the publication in newspapers of the letter written by Col. George Drew to the government when the charges against him under the Defence of Canada Regulations were withdrawn. The letter on advice of counsel was not tabled in the commons. The point that arises is— to what extent can members of parliament use the contents of the letter in discussions in the House? The inquiry on Hong Kong was held in camera. Certain evidence was withheld from publication, including documents from the British government. This secret evidence will not be available to members. There are sure to be some sharp exchanges in the house if as Mr. Coldwell suggests he will use the Drew letter as the basis of his speech on the Hong Kong report. Government spokesmen have taken the stand that



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the sharp criticisms of the report are criticisms of the Chief Justice of Canada, Sir Lyman Duff, who was commissioner in the inquiry while opposition members claim it is criticism of the commissioner not of the chief justice and point to attacks that have been made in the British house on reports of commissions held by judges of high standing.

Liquor Question—
 A number of members during discussions on changes in excise taxes in the budget referred to the alarming increase in the country's liquor bill. Mr. Halsey stated the liquor question was a matter for the provinces under the constitution and that higher duties would bring greater illicit traffic. Mr. Hanson, Mrs. Casselman, Mr. Coldwell and others showed concern over the expansion of liquor consumption, now reaching a total of \$250,000,000 annually.

Issue New Money?
 During the debate on the budget, G. C. McGeer, liberal member for Vancouver, and Arthur Slaght, liberal from Perry Sound, gave interesting and advanced views on monetary reform which did not entirely accord with the opinions of the minister of finance. Mr. Slaght believed that the country could turn out \$1,200,000,000 of new money, while still maintaining the price ceiling. Mr. Halsey answered that the issue of that amount of money would "blow the price ceiling to kingdom come". Mr. McGeer told the house that a number of monetary reforms which had been considered "dangerous innovations" seven or eight years ago were now accepted as part of the national economy. Among these were the creation of a publicly-owned national central bank and the removal of the gold reserve limitation on the issue of paper currency. Mr. McGeer said that while realizing the danger of inflation if the government made some use of currency issues of aid in financing the war.

Wheat Acreage Reduction

All farmers participating in the Wheat Acreage Reduction Bonus must complete a second form, the Final Statement of Claim. This is in addition to the form filed in May and should be completed at the Municipal Office, Strathmore, before July 31, 1942.

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"One of the best achievements industry can point to in the United States," said General Donald Armstrong, deputy chief of the Chicago Ordnance District, in referring to the attainment of tank production approximately three months ahead of schedule by the United States organization of the Massey-Harris Company.

In this manner, within the brief space of five months, the management and workers of the United States Division of this well-known Canadian Company have fulfilled the promise made to General Armstrong in February this year when the contract was received, by Mr. J. S. Duncan, president and general manager of the company, "that the success we have made so far in armament was due to the spirit in which the men of Massey-Harris had tackled the various projects and that same spirit would be back of the tank undertaking, and because of it he could assure him success."

At a mass meeting outside the tank plant last Friday, workmen and executives of Massey-Harris cheered the announcement by General Armstrong that tanks which had not been expected before mid-September were already undergoing operating tests and that the present rate of production would make possible the delivery of tanks to the fighting forces three months earlier than originally anticipated.

General Armstrong told the workmen that they were making these tanks to be used by their sons, their friends, their neighbors in the fighting forces. "Keep the fighting men in mind as you build these tanks," he said, "and keep in mind mothers and fathers like Mrs. Petersen and your fellow Massey-Harris workman, Chris Petersen, who have three sons in the fighting forces and who pray that their boys will have the arms and equipment that will give them the power for victory."

Mr. W. K. Hyslop, vice-president of Massey-Harris Company expressed the thanks of the company to the workmen for making the celebration pos-

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sible. "It has been a big job," he said, "It is still a big job, but if you all continue to perform in the future as you have up to this point the ultimate completion of this contract will be even farther ahead of schedule than we are today."

TAKING PRECAUTIONS

Just in case London should suffer heavy bombings again, Many churches in the city have removed their treasures to places of safekeeping in the country, including pulpits, screens, fonts, altar tables and even organs.

WHEAT POOLS REDUCE "STREET" SPREAD

The western Wheat Pools decided at an inter-provincial conference, held in Calgary on July 16th and 17th, to reduce by 1-2c a bushel the spread in the handling of "street" wheat delivered to the Wheat Board through Pool elevators for the ensuing crop year. This means that the "street" spread in Board wheat handled by the Pools will be eliminated and farmers who deliver on that basis will receive the carlot price and benefit by 1-2c a bushel as compared with last year's charges. The Wheat Board has been advised accordingly.

This decision was reached because of special conditions which are certain to prevail in the marketing of the 1942 wheat crop. The present arrangement with the Wheat Board provides that a producer must deliver 750 bushels in order to qualify for carlot price. However, it is probable that the first quota will be five bushels to the acre and many farmers will not have a sufficient allotment to deliver 750 bushels, even although they may have substantial quantities of wheat in farm storage.

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There is no scientific basis for the
theory that men's brains are better
than women's, according to Soviet
scientists.

Nearly three and one-half centuries
elapsed after the invention of gun-
powder before sporting firearms came
into general use.

Tailor (leasing Scotsman for a
new suit of clothes): And how would
you like the pockets, sir?
McTavish: Well, just a wee bit dif-
ficult to get at.

F. W. GERSHAW
WRITES FROM OTTAWA

The whole problem of awards for
gallantry, titles and decorations is be-
ing reviewed by a Committee of the
House of Commons. Canadians are
serving on many battle fronts and in
many parts of the world. Heroic deeds
are being performed and distinguished
service is being rendered by Cana-
dians side by side with the forces of
the United Kingdom, Australia, New
Zealand, South Africa and India.
Members of our forces, however, are
not eligible for decorations available to
forces from other parts of the Empire
owing to the interpretation given to
the Nickle Resolution of 1919. No
one desires to return to the granting
of Hereditary titles but it is strongly
urged that this discrimination should
be removed. The Nickle resolution re-
quested His Majesty to refrain from
the granting of titles to Canadians
and asked for the extinction of those
already given. Military and Naval
honors were not included but the re-
solution was interpreted to mean that
no honors should be given to Cana-
dians or Army officers in any order
of chivalry where the higher ranks of
the order carried titles.

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1st—Immediate. These are given
by the Commander at once for an act
of great gallantry on the field of bat-
tle.

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for sustained courage or skill or re-
peated acts of distinguished conduct.
3rd—Periodic. These are given at
New Year, or the King's birthday for
exceptional merit.

The Honors are—
1—Victoria Cross V. C. for valor in
the presence of the enemy. May be
given posthumously.

II—George's Cross G. C. not restric-
ted to the presence of the enemy.

III—Order of the Bath, to high
ranking officers mentioned in dis-
patches.

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and St. George, G. C. M. G.

Knight Commander, K. C. M. G.
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D. F. C.

XI—Air Force Cross, A. F. C.
XII—Royal Red Cross II

XIII—Distinguished Conduct Medal
D. C. M.

XIV—Conspicuous Gallantry Med-
al, C. G. M.

XV—Distinguished Service Medal,
D. S. M.

XVI—Military Medal, M. M.

XVII—Distinguished Flying Medal,
D. F. M.

XVIII—Air Force Medal, A. F. M.

XIX—George Medal, G. M.

XX—British Empire Medal, B.E.M.

These are all distinctions of very
high order and are not listed in order
of rank.

There are others like the Imperial
Service Medals for long service or
heroism by manual workers in the
Civil Service or in fire or police
work.

The Committee will make recom-
mendations to remove the present dis-
crimination against Canadians with-
out establishing a titled class and
without detracting from the honor of
those who win these high awards.

Delivers Fourth Script



Alan King, for several years a member
of the acting contingent in CBC's Tor-
onto studios, broke into the writing
field this year and has signed his
name to several feature scripts which
have had network presentation. "Fire
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Beaver Rehabilitation in Canada

Beaver And Engineers Agree On Dam Site

Since the beginning of white settlement on this Continent the Canadian beaver has been recognized as one of the most industrious and intelligent of animals and as possessing a considerable degree of engineering sagacity. A reminder of this animal's skill and industry is contained in the story of eight beaver trapped in Southern Manitoba in August, 1941, and moved to the Fisher River Fur Project Area, west of Lake Winnipeg. Here they were released, more than 200 miles from where they were born, and their movements were carefully observed. One of the eight died but the remainder lost no time in beginning a survey of the area which was to be their future home. It is claimed that these beaver travelled a distance of about one hundred miles up and down streams, around lakes, and through the wide marshes of the area before finally selecting a spot on which to build their dam.

The previous year engineers of the Manitoba Government had also surveyed the area in connection with the development of a wild fur rehabilitation project, and had marked a site for a control dam. The beaver, it was found, selected a spot for their dam less than 20 feet from where the engineers had placed their marking post.

No matter what has been said in the past or may be written in the future to belittle the beaver, it will be hard to convince these Government engineers that this animal is not endowed with some sort of natural engineering skill far superior to that of most denizens of the wild in North America, or that he does not merit the distinction of having been chosen one of Canada's National Emblems.

It would be erroneous, of course, to assert that the busy beaver is always active. On the contrary he knows when to work and when to relax. If he worked continuously from the spring break up until the winter freeze up, he would store a great deal more food than it would be possible for him to consume during the winter months. Likewise if he kept on building his dam he would raise the water level to unnecessary heights and perhaps ruin much of his food supply.

But he raises the dam only when it becomes necessary to flood a greater area in order to reach new timber stands to meet his needs.

Except to repair damage to the dam or lodge caused chiefly by the movement of ice and spring floods, the beaver takes life easy during summer. With the approach of autumn, however, he busies himself in earnest. The old feed sticks from which the bark has been stripped are removed from the food cache below the water and used to reinforce the lodge and dam. A fresh food cache is put in and anchored down so that it will remain under water until the ice forms. The lodge and dam are plastered with mud and the beaver's pre-winter activity continues until freeze up.

The beaver displays a true communal spirit. When there is work to be done everyone does his bit and keeps at it until the job is finished. There is no quitting because a member thinks he has done his share. In like manner they share their dam, their lodge, and their food.

In the early days of Canada's fur trade, the beaver occupied a place of paramount importance. It was estimated that before the arrival of Europeans, the beaver population of North America was more than 10 millions. Between 1852 and 1857, the Hudson's Bay Company sold more than three million beaver skins on the London Fur Market. The heavy drain on the supply of this valuable fur bearer continued until quite recent times when legislation was enacted for their protection. This close protection has had a beneficial effect and in many districts the beaver has become much more plentiful.

The first large-scale projects of this kind for conservation of beaver were

tried that ensures maintenance at all times of an adequate breeding stock. This plan benefits all concerned, for it is resulting in a large permanent population of beaver, a steady, dependable income for the Indians, and a Canadian industry that is a healthy and important part of the economic life of the country.

In 1941, the Kapiskau Beaver Preserve on the Albany River near James Bay was established under an agreement between the Ontario Government and the Hudson's Bay Company. Two other Beaver Preserves in the James Bay area are located on Charlton Island and Akimiski Island which are both in the Northwest Territories. A variation of this plan for beaver rehabilitation is being tried out in other parts of the Northwest Territories, particularly in the delta area at the mouth of the MacKenzie River. Here a new beaver sanctuary embracing an area of 14,000 square miles has been set aside. Additional projects are either in course of development or under consideration and it is expected that wild fur rehabilitation will have its place in Canada's post-war reconstruction program. The value of Canada's production of beaver pelts for the year ended June 30, 1941, amounted to \$2,062,000, which can undoubtedly be greatly augmented by careful management.

Apart from the commercial value of beaver, they are of course, a considerable attraction to the tourist and the nature-lover. The late Grey Owl thrilled the English-speaking world with stories of the lives and habits of the beaver in Riding Mountain and Prince Albert Parks and did much to rekindle an interest in "nature's own forest engineer". Beaver are found in most of Canada's National Parks from British

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



STANDARD

— By J. G. —

A large gathering of neighbors and citizens of Standard gathered to welcome home Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schriber after their honeymoon. The party was in Craigantler School and everyone had a splendid time with dancing and a splendid supper and some good speakers on the list. It was a great affair. Mr. B. Schriber, Sr., spared nothing to see the evening a success. Standard Citizens turned out in large numbers. Some also from Gleichen and district. Mr. M. Hanson of Mons Service Station was the principal speaker of the evening, with Mr. Jim Smith saying a few well chosen words and our Craigantler Councillor, Mr. David MacBean of Gleichen, told them that they would have good roads if they kept him in office long enough. So after two more hours dancing, Mr. and Mrs. Schriber thanked the gathering for the lovely time. The dance finished

There are 11 towns in America named Moscow.



GIVE TO RELIEVE HUMAN SUFFERING

lashed up by singing "They Are Jolly Good Fellows" and God Save the King."



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situated in the region immediately southeast of James Bay, where the Hudson's Bay Company's activities had been carried on 250 years earlier. Here the Province of Quebec, the Dominion Department of Mines and Resources, and the Hudson's Bay Company now participate in the development of three large beaver preserves, with a total area of approximately 35,000 miles. After a sufficient beaver population has been built up on these preserves, limited numbers of pelts may be taken annually by Indian trappers under a system of strict con-

Columbia to Nova Scotia. In Cape Breton Highlands National Park, Nova Scotia, beaver have been successfully reestablished after an absence from the region of more than a century. Latest reports are that this colony is making good progress and a number of new dams and lodges are already in evidence in the Park. Beaver have also been reintroduced into Elk Island National Park in Alberta after an absence of many years and it is expected that they will soon form an important part of the attraction of that famous wild animal park.

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Local News Items

Hilda F. Trollope and Lily B. Trollope, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trollope of Nightingale have enlisted in the R.C.A.F. as Fabric Workers. They will take their training at No. 6 Manning Depot, Toronto.

Carlisle Geo. Christensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christensen of Strathmore, has enlisted in the R.C.A.F. Mr. Christensen's marriage to Miss Phyllis Sidiem was an interesting social event of about four months ago.

SPEAKERS PRESENT AT M. D. MEETING, AUGUST 5

Among the speakers who will be present are Paul Farnalls, President of Alberta Association of Municipal Districts, Alex Soutter Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, Don J. McKinnon, M.L.A., and others.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. Thorsen in the General Hospital, Calgary, July 17, a boy, David Leroy Weir. Mr. Thorsen was one of Alberta University's outstanding graduates who lived at Nakama in his earlier years.

Jaik Van Tigheem is spending the week with his uncle at De Winton, giving a hand in the harvesting of the hay.

The marriage of Miss Lohase J. Bensted to Laurence G. Roppel of Rockyford is an interesting event of next week.

Mrs. Jack Riddoch is staying with Mr. Riddoch's mother in Calgary for a few days, the latter suffering from a slight attack of flu.

Miss Francis Jones returned last Saturday after spending several days in Edmonton, the guest of Miss Jean Garrett.

Mrs. McLaughlan and son of Vancouver are visiting Mrs. Andy Scott. Mr. McLaughlan has come from Debert, N.S., to see his family while he is on leave from the eastern camp.

Mr. Jimmie Gannon will motor to Verdun, Man., this week to bring home Mrs. Gannon and children who have been visiting Mrs. Gannon's sister for three weeks.

A letter from Vince Moran states that he is working in the shipyards. Likely for the duration, but is holding his priority on the staff of the Vancouver Province. Vince states that he and family are all well, with both little daughters in school next year.

Mr. M. MacLeod and daughter, Iris, leave during the week end for a holiday at Blairmore and adjacent towns. Yvonne MacKenzie is visiting friends at Rocky Mountain House.

Mrs. W. Armstrong of Calgary is staying with her father during her mother's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Nelsmith in Saskatoon.

Miss Florence Hall of Utica, N.Y., will arrive Friday to visit some time with her niece, Mrs. Cecil Lambert, and Mr. Lambert.

Mrs. T. B. Hughes was the honored guest at a happy Family Dinner Party Sunday at the home of her Daughter, Mrs. Tommy Chamberlain, and Mr. Chamberlain, on the occasion of her birthday. We all wish Mrs. Hughes many more happy returns of the day.

Sisters Are Brides



Sergt. and Mrs. Johns



Pte. and Mrs. Carlin

—Courtesy The Calgary Herald.

The above brides are two of Cheadle's popular young ladies whose marriage was an event of interest recently. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cramer of Cheadle. Mrs. Carlin was the former Miss Jeanette Dunn, and Mrs. Johns was the former Miss Renee Dunn. All join in wishing much happiness to the young couple.

Miss Doris Swanson is enjoying a visit in Strathmore with her Uncle, Jimmy Swanson.

Miss Robertson has resigned as teacher of the Orange Valley School and has enlisted in the C.W.A.C.

We are glad to give credit for generous action to the men of the district of the Orange Valley School, who are voluntarily excavating the basement for the new school to be built at this point. Supervised by the promoter of the plan, Stanley Korek, the men are doing a fine job and this will save the Wheatland S.D. several dollars.

We hear Mrs. R. Sorensen (nee Joan Barber) has resigned her position as teacher at Hervey, but has left behind a garden of vegetables and flowers which Inspector MacLeod says is the best he has seen on any school grounds in the district. Mrs. Sorensen spent some weeks ago for St. Thomas, Ont., where her husband is training in the R.C.A.F.

Clarence Van Tigheem arrived home Monday evening for a holiday.

We regret to state that Miss June Smith has tendered her resignation as teacher on the Strathmore School staff.

Mrs. Mallou of Verdun, Manitoba, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Hilton and Mr. Hilton for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. Evers of Ponoka are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Leslie Pearson, and Rev. Pearson for a few days.

Mrs. Jack Robinson of Gleichen was a guest of Mrs. Hirtle over the week end coming to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hirtle, and her son, Jack.

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Ronnie Hughes has enlisted in the 85th Battery and will report in ten days time.

Lieut. Leslie Hand is home on a visit with his family in Strathmore. This is a long delayed furlough and everyone is pleased to see him again.

The 223 Battery has returned from two weeks in camp at Saree. There is a very large number of men under canvas and while rigid training prevails, the days are not without their humorous incidents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson have leased the house at present occupied by Mr. Malcolm MacKenzie and family.

Cpl. Jack Issard was home on a short visit to his family from Debert, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. E. Shuman and baby have returned from a holiday at Sylvan Lake.

Joan Fontaine, star in the picture, "Suspicion", coming next week to Hirtle's Theatre won the Academy Award for best individual acting in this picture for 1941 and "Rebecca" for 1940.

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COCOANUT—
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SALMON—
Tall Tin ----- .20

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Bestoval, 3 tins ----- .29

PURE LARD, (Swift's)
2 lbs. ----- .25
10 lbs. ----- 1.25

PEARS—
2 Tins ----- .27

PLUMS—
2 Tins ----- .25

PEACHES—
Tin ----- .16 and .18

APRICOTS—
Tin ----- .17

PINE APPLE—
Crushed only, tin ----- .18

FLOUR POLISH—
GLO-COAT—
Pint Size ----- .59
Quart Size ----- .28

JELLY POWDER—
4 Pkgs. ----- .25
JELLO—
4 Pkgs. ----- .29

● JAMS—
STRAWBERRY—
Empress, 4 lb. tin ----- .68

PLUM—
Empress, 4 lb. tin ----- .52

MIXED CLIMAX—
4 lb. Tin ----- .55

MARMALADE—
Eamon's Orange,
4 lb. Tin ----- .55
Three Fruit, 4 lb. tin ----- .55

SPORK—
Tin ----- .31

PREM—
Tin ----- .30

SPICED HAM—
Tin ----- .38

SAUSAGES—
York, 2 tins ----- .45

SOUP— Aylmer—
Tomato, 3 Tins ----- .27
Vegetable, 3 Tins ----- .27

MATCHES—
Eddy's Silent,
3 Boxes in Pkg. for ----- .30

RINSO—
Giant Package ----- .58
Medium Package ----- .58

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Giant Package ----- .58
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